

they shall send one copy of this report to the Wisconsin free library commission. The said board shall also include in the said annual report the names of the directors whose terms expire at the time the report is made.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 97.

AN ACT relating to the reports of state officers and the chiefs of bureaus and departments.

The people of the state of Wisconsin represented in senate and assembly do enact as follows:

To report receipts and disbursements to governor. SECTION 1. The respective state officers, heads or chiefs of bureaus and departments of the state service and the several boards having control of the charitable, and penal and educational institutions of the state including the normal schools and state university shall, on or before the tenth day of January in each odd-numbered year, make and deliver to the governor a brief succinct, detailed report of all receipts and expenditures in their respective offices, boards, bureaus or departments for the biennial term ending the first Monday of January.

To report expenses of department. SECTION 2. The respective state officers and chiefs or heads of all bureaus and departments and regents of state university and normal schools shall in each odd-numbered year, on or before the tenth day of January make and deliver to the governor in tabular form a complete, concise and detailed report of the expenses of conducting such office, bureau or department, normal schools and state university for each year of the biennial term ending on the first Monday in January preceding the date of such report, and shall accompany such report with a like detailed statement or report of the receipts and expenses of conducting such office, bureau or

department for the corresponding years of the two preceding biennial terms.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 98.

AN ACT to amend section 932 of the statutes of 1898, relating to the appointment of library directors.

The people of the state of Wisconsin represented in senate and assembly do enact as follows:

Provision for reducing directorate; number of directors; term of office; vacancies. SECTION 1. Section 932 of the statutes of 1898 is hereby amended by adding the words "in each city of the second and third class," after the words "reading room" in the second line, and by striking out the words "the president of such village or the chairman of such town" in the third line and by adding after the words "common council" in the fourth line the words "and in each city of the fourth class, in each village or town there shall be a board of six directors appointed by the mayor of such city, by the president of such village or the chairman of such town, with the approval of the respective common council, village or town board." The following words shall also be added to section 932: "It is further provided that in any city of the fourth class, or any village or town, having a public library with a board of nine directors, that, upon the request of such board, the mayor of such city, the president of such village or the chairman of such town, shall omit to make appointments to the board to fill vacancies, until the number of members of the board, excluding the ex-officio member, is reduced to six, and thereafter the board shall include no more than six appointive members," so that the whole section when so amended shall read as follows: Section 932. For the government of such library and reading room, in each city of the sec-